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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98 and in compliance with 37 CFR 1.56, the Office's attention is directed to the patents, publications and other information listed on the attached PTO-1449. A copy of each listed document is enclosed. The Examiner is requested to consider these documents:

U.S. 5,260,345 (DesMarais et al., November 9, 1993)

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U.S. 5,795,921 (Dyer et al., August 18, 1998)

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Z. Bhumgara, Filtration & Separation (March 1995) 245-251, "Polyhipe Foam Materials as Filtration Media"

D.C. Walsh et al., J. Aerosol Sci. (1996) 27, 5629-5630, "PolyHIPE Foams: Production, Characterisations, and Performance as Aerosol Filtration Materials"

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